

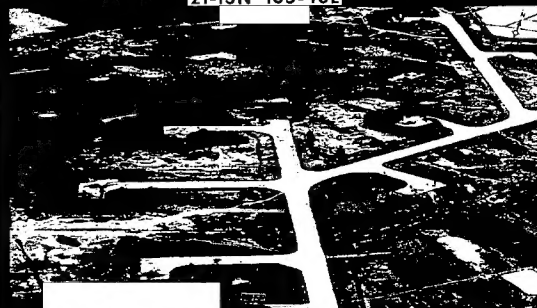
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# DUMMY FISHBED AIRCRAFT SELECTED AIRFIELDS, NORTH VIETNAM



PHUC YEN AIRFIELD  
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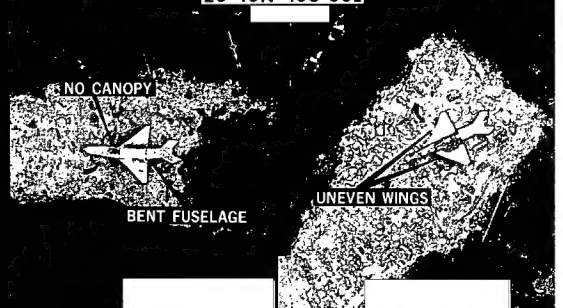


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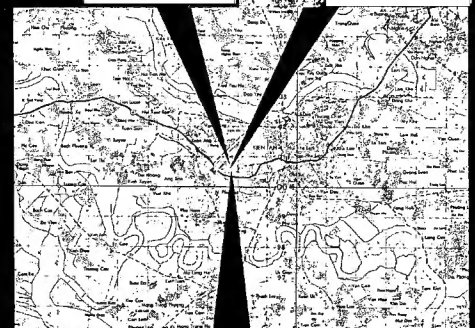
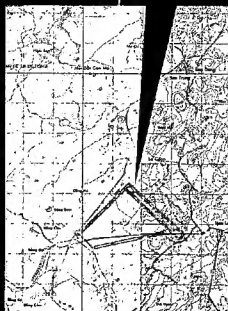
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SELECTED AIRFIELDS, NORTH VIETNAM

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD DEPICTS RENEWED CONSTRUCTION AND DEPLOYMENT OF DUMMY FISHBED AIRCRAFT AT THREE MAJOR AIRFIELDS IN NORTH VIETNAM.

2. BACKGROUND:

THE INITIAL ATTEMPT AT CONSTRUCTION AND DEPLOYMENT OF A DUMMY FISHBED WAS OBSERVED AT PHUC YEN AIRFIELD IN [ ] THE DUMMY AIRCRAFT MEASURED [ ] AND APPEARED TO BE CONSTRUCTED OF WOOD. THIS INITIAL EFFORT WAS SOON ABANDONED AND DUMMY FISHBED DISAPPEARED FROM THE AIRFIELD.

4. MISSION READOUT:

[ ] REVEALED THE DEPLOYMENT OF TWO DUMMY FISHBED AT PHUC YEN AIRFIELD. THE DUMMY FISHBED ARE IN THE DISPERSAL AREA AT THE ESE END OF THE RUNWAY. SUBSEQUENT PHOTOGRAPHY FROM [ ] REVEALED THE COMPLETE DETERIORATION OF THE SAME TWO DUMMY AIRCRAFT.

LOW LEVEL DRONE PHOTOGRAPHY OF [ ] REVEALED SIX DUMMY FISHBED IN AIRCRAFT REVETMENTS IN THE DISPERSAL AREA AT HAIPHONG KIEN AN

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AIRFIELD. (FOUR OF THE DUMMY AIRCRAFT WERE FIRST OBSERVED ON [REDACTED] FIVE (ALL NOT SHOWN ON GRAPHIC) OF THE DUMMY FISHBED ARE POORLY CONSTRUCTED, EVIDENCED BY THE LACK OF EXACTNESS OF CONFIGURATION AND OVERALL DESIGN DETAIL. THE SIXTH DUMMY FISHBED IN COMPARISON WITH THE OTHERS OBSERVED IS AN EXCELLENT EXAMPLE OF DUMMY AIRCRAFT CONSTRUCTION. IT IS EVIDENT THAT CONSIDERABLE EFFORT WAS PUT FORTH IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THIS DUMMY.

PHOTOGRAPHY FROM [REDACTED] REVEALED FOUR DUMMY FISHBED AIRCRAFT AT HOA LAC AIRFIELD. THE DUMMY AIRCRAFT ARE PARKED IN A LARGE AIRCRAFT REVETMENT ADJACENT TO THE SSW/NNE NATURAL SURFACE RUNWAY. THE DUMMY FISHBED APPEAR TO BE THE SAME AS THOSE OBSERVED AT PHUC YEN AND HAIPHONG KIEN AN AIRFIELDS. ALL OF THESE DUMMY FISHBED APPEAR IN A DETERIORATED CONDITION.

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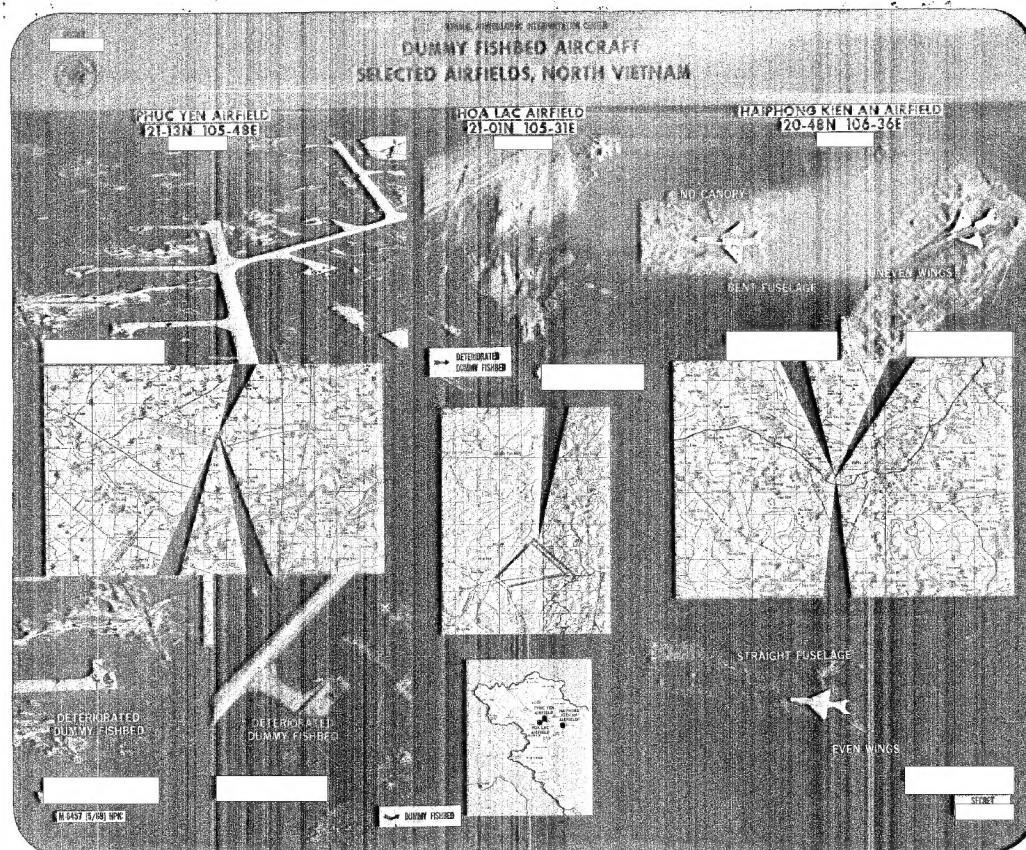
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NEW CLASS COMBATANT  
HAIPHONG, NORTH VIETNAM  
2051N 10644E

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD DEPICTS A NEW CLASS COMBATANT, PROBABLY OF CHICOM CONSTRUCTION, IN NORTH VIETNAM.

2. LOCATION:

HAIPHONG AREA, NORTH VIETNAM.

3. BACKGROUND:

A VESSEL OF THIS TYPE WAS FIRST OBSERVED IN NORTH VIETNAM ON [REDACTED] AT THE HAIPHONG MARINE HOSPITAL (INFILTRATION) WHARF ALONGSIDE THE RECENTLY IDENTIFIED SL-2, WUHU, YF AND AN SL-4. IT WAS NEXT OBSERVED IN LATE 1968 AND AGAIN ON [REDACTED] FIVE WERE PREVIOUSLY OBSERVED AT THE SAME BUNKERING PIER AS IS DEPICTED ON THIS BRIEFING BOARD.

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4. MISSION READOUT:

MISSION BO Q045 OF 21 APRIL 1969 REVEALS A NEW CLASS YP MOORED ALONGSIDE A SMALL BUNKERING PIER, 3.9 NM WEST OF THE HAIPHONG NAVAL BASE. THE VESSEL HAS A [REDACTED] FOOT BEAM. A SEARCHLIGHT IS MOUNTED

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5. REMARKS:

THE SIMILARITY BETWEEN THIS VESSEL (WHICH IS NOT YET NAMED) AND OTHER CHICOM BUILT VESSELS INDICATED THAT IT WAS PROBABLY CONSTRUCTED IN CHINA. THE IDENTIFICATION OF THIS NEW CLASS YP ADDS FIVE MORE COMBATANTS TO THE NAVAL ORDER OF BATTLE OF NORTH VIETNAM.

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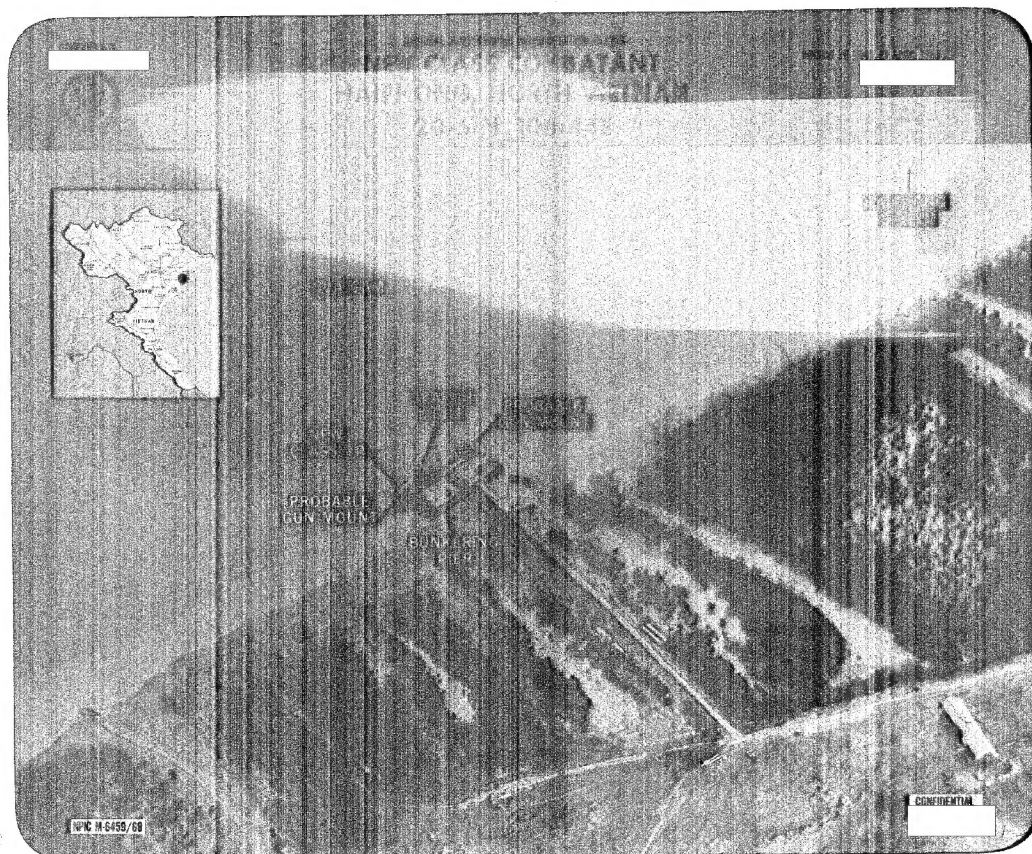
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